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In re *Bradshaw et al.*)
Application No. 09/664,794)
Filed: September 19, 2000)
Appeal No. 2006-2744

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ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO RESET HEARING DATE

An oral hearing before a merits panel of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences has been set for November 13, 2006. The notice setting the hearing was mailed to Applicants on October 4, 2006.

The date Applicants received the notice is not apparent from the record. On October 11, 2006, a facsimile letter styled "Request For Rescheduled Of Hearing" was filed. Applicants requested that the Oral Hearing be rescheduled. The request has been granted.

According to counsel:

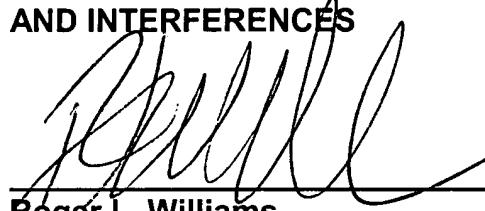
[He] will be out on a family vacation that was scheduled prior to the November 13, 2006 Notice of Hearing . The undersigned attorney of record vacation has already been paid for and is not refundable. Counsel also states that the oral argument can not be delegated to any one else in the firm.

For the reasons given above, it is:

Ordered that the request to reschedule the oral hearing to a date
after November 13, 2006 is granted.

No further request for postponement will be permitted. Any further
request for postponement will be treated as a waiver of the Request for Oral
Hearing.

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